

Order Number

## **Analytical Laboratory**

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## **Order Summary Report**

Project Name: WWTS FGD-Routine 2013  Customer Name(s): BIII K, Wayne C, and Melonie M  Customer Address: 3195 Pine Hall Rd	Order Number.	313110076			
Customer Address:  3195 Pine Hall Rd  Mailcode: Belews Steam Station  Belews Creek, NC 28012  Lab Contact:  Jason C Perkins  Phone: 980-875-5348  Report Authorized By: (Signature)  Date: 11/25/2013	Project Name:	WWTS FGD-Routine 2013			
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#### **Program Comments:**

Please contact the Program Manager (Jason C Perkins) with any questions regarding this report.

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#### **Data Flags & Calculations:**

Any analytical tests or individual analytes within a test flagged with a Qualifier indicate a deviation from the method quality system or quality control requirement. The qualifier description is found at the end of the Certificate of Analysis (sample results) under the qualifiers heading. All results are reported on a dry weight basis unless otherwise noted. Subcontracted data included on the Duke Certificate of Analysis is to be used as information only. Certified vendor results can be found in the subcontracted lab final report. Duke Energy Analytical Laboratory subcontracts analyses to other vendor laboratories that have been qualified by Duke Energy to perform these analyses except where noted.

#### Data Package:

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Job Summary Report, Sample Identification, Technical Validation of Data Package, Analytical Laboratory Certificate of Analysis, Analytical Laboratory QC Reports, Sub-contracted Laboratory Results, Customer Specific Data Sheets, Reports & Documentation, Customer Database Entries, Test Case Narratives, Chain of Custody (COC)

#### Certification:

The Analytical Laboratory holds the following State Certifications: North Carolina (DENR) Certificate #248, South Carolina (DHEC) Laboratory ID # 99005. Contact the Analytical Laboratory for definitive information about the certification status of specific methods.

## Sample ID's & Descriptions:

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Sample ID	Plant/Station	Collection Date and Time	Collected By	Sample Description
2013027039	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 7:30 AM	ТО	FGD Purge Eff
2013027040	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 7:35 AM	ТО	EQ Tank Eff
2013027041	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 7:45 AM	ТО	BioReactor 1 Inf
2013027042	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 7:55 AM	ТО	BioReactor 2 Inf
2013027043	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 8:00 AM	ТО	BioReactor 2 Eff
2013027044	BELEWS	04-Nov-13 8:05 AM	ТО	Filter Blk
2013027045	BELEWS	24-Oct-13 11:30 AM	D. Baker	TRIP BLANK
7 Total Samples				

## **Technical Validation Review**

### **Checklist:**

COC and .pdf report are in agreement with sample totals and analyses (compliance programs and procedures).	<b>✓</b> Yes	☐ No
All Results are less than the laboratory reporting limits.	Yes	<b>✓</b> No
All laboratory QA/QC requirements are acceptable.	<b>✓</b> Yes	☐ No

## **Report Sections Included:**

✓ Job Summary Report	✓ Sub-contracted Laboratory Results
✓ Sample Identification	☐ Customer Specific Data Sheets, Reports, & Documentation
✓ Technical Validation of Data Package	☐ Customer Database Entries
✓ Analytical Laboratory Certificate of Analysis	✓ Chain of Custody
☐ Analytical Laboratory QC Report	✓ Electronic Data Deliverable (EDD) Sent Separatel

Reviewed By: DBA Account Date: 11/25/2013

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### Order # J13110076

Site: FGD Purge Eff Sample #: 2013027039

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 7:30 AM Matrix: OTHER

Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst				
RIC)											
2.3	mg-N/L		0.05	5	EPA 353.2	11/15/2013 11:30	BGN9034				
190	mg/L		5	50	EPA 300.0	11/11/2013 19:10	JAHERMA				
TED											
	ua/l		5	100	EPΔ 245 1	11/07/2013 17:13	DKJOHN2				
333	ug/L		3	100	LI A 240.1	11/01/2013 17:13	DIGOTINE				
BY ICP											
188	mg/L		0.5	10	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 12:01	MHH7131				
DISSOLVED METALS BY ICP-MS											
204	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/20/2013 13:33	DJSULL1				
BY ICP-MS											
291	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
551	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
215	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
309	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
6510	ug/L		20	20	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
403	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:27	DJSULL1				
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Complete					Vendor Method		V_AS&C				
	2.3  190  TER  359  BY ICP  188  204  BY ICP-MS  291  < 10  551  215  309  6510  < 10  403  is Performed	2.3 mg-N/L  190 mg/L  TER 359 ug/L  BY ICP 188 mg/L  204 ug/L  204 ug/L  204 ug/L  410 ug/L  215 ug/L  215 ug/L  309 ug/L  6510 ug/L  <10 ug/L  403 ug/L  is Performed by Applied	2.3 mg-N/L   190 mg/L     190 mg/L     190 mg/L     190 mg/L     188 mg/L     188 mg/L     188 mg/L     188 mg/L     190 mg/L       190 mg/L     1	RIC)         2.3       mg-N/L       0.05         190       mg/L       5         TER         359       ug/L       5         BY ICP         188       mg/L       0.5         204       ug/L       10         BY ICP-MS         291       ug/L       10         40       ug/L       10         551       ug/L       10         295       ug/L       10         309       ug/L       10         6510       ug/L       20         <10	2.3   mg-N/L   0.05   5   5   190   mg/L   5   50   50       TER	2.3 mg-N/L 0.05 5 EPA 353.2  190 mg/L 5 50 EPA 300.0  TER  359 ug/L 5 100 EPA 245.1  BY ICP  188 mg/L 0.5 10 EPA 200.7  204 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  BY ICP-MS  291 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  < 10 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  551 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  551 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  215 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  309 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  6510 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  610 ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  611 Ug/L 10 10 EPA 200.8  612 EPERFORMED BY Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC)	### 2.3 mg-N/L    ### 2.3 mg-N/L    ### 2.3 mg-N/L    ### 2.3 mg-N/L    ### 359    ### 350    ### 3				

Site: EQ Tank Eff 2013027040 Sample #:

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 7:35 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst		
MERCURY (COLD VAPOR) IN WATE	<u>ER</u>									
Mercury (Hg)	154	ug/L		2.5	50	EPA 245.1	11/07/2013 17:15	DKJOHN2		
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP										
Boron (B)	196	mg/L		0.5	10	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 12:05	MHH7131		
DISSOLVED METALS BY ICP-MS										
Selenium (Se)	88.3	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/20/2013 13:41	DJSULL1		

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Site: EQ Tank Eff Sample #: 2013027040

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 7:35 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY	Y ICP-MS							
Arsenic (As)	144	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Cadmium (Cd)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Chromium (Cr)	263	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Copper (Cu)	108	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Nickel (Ni)	213	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Selenium (Se)	3200	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Silver (Ag)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1
Zinc (Zn)	220	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:30	DJSULL1

Site: BioReactor 1 Inf Sample #: 2013027041

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 7:45 AM Matrix: OTHER

Vendor Parameter

Complete

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst			
NITRITE + NITRATE (COLORIME	TRIC)						•	•			
Nitrite + Nitrate (Colorimetric)	3.4	mg-N/L		0.05	5	EPA 353.2	11/15/2013 11:31	BGN9034			
Mercury by EPA 200.8 - (Analysis	Mercury by EPA 200.8 - (Analysis Performed by Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC)										
Vendor Parameter	Complete	ug/l			<u>,, ===7</u>	Vendor Method		V_AS&C			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP											
Boron (B)	199	mg/L		0.5	10	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 12:09	MHH7131			
DISSOLVED METALS BY ICP-MS											
Selenium (Se)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/20/2013 13:45	DJSULL1			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS	BY ICP-MS										
Arsenic (As)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Cadmium (Cd)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Chromium (Cr)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Copper (Cu)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Nickel (Ni)	43.0	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Selenium (Se)	68.9	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Silver (Ag)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
Zinc (Zn)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:06	DJSULL1			
SELENIUM SPECIATION - (Analy	sis Performed I	oy Applied	Speciation a	nd Consi	ulting, LLC	<u>5)</u>					

Vendor Method

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Site: BioReactor 2 Inf

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 7:55 AM

Sample #: 2013027042

Matrix: OTHER

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst			
Mercury by EPA 200.8 - (Analysis	S Performed by A	Applied Sp	oeciation and	Consult	ing, LLC)						
Vendor Parameter	Complete	ug/l				Vendor Method		V_AS&C			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP											
Boron (B)	195	mg/L		0.5	10	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 12:13	MHH7131			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP-MS											
Arsenic (As)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Cadmium (Cd)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Chromium (Cr)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Copper (Cu)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Nickel (Ni)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Selenium (Se)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Silver (Ag)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			
Zinc (Zn)	< 10	ug/L		10	10	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:42	DJSULL1			

Site: BioReactor 2 Eff Sample #: 2013027043

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 8:00 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst			
NITRITE + NITRATE (COLORIMET	RIC)										
Nitrite + Nitrate (Colorimetric)	< 0.01	mg-N/L	(	0.01	1	EPA 353.2	11/15/2013 11:25	BGN9034			
INORGANIC IONS BY IC											
Bromide	150	mg/L		5	50	EPA 300.0	11/11/2013 19:29	JAHERMA			
Mercury by EPA 200.8 - (Analysis Performed by Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC)											
Vendor Parameter	Complete	ug/l				Vendor Method		V_AS&C			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP											
Boron (B)	182	mg/L		0.5	10	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 12:18	MHH7131			
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS	BY ICP-MS										
Arsenic (As)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Cadmium (Cd)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Chromium (Cr)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Copper (Cu)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Nickel (Ni)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Selenium (Se)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Silver (Ag)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			
Zinc (Zn)	< 5	ug/L		5	5	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 15:09	DJSULL1			

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Site: BioReactor 2 Eff Sample #: 2013027043

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 8:00 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte Result Units Qualifiers RDL DF Method Analysis Date/Time Analyst

SELENIUM SPECIATION - (Analysis Performed by Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC)

Vendor Parameter Complete Vendor Method V\_AS&C

**TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS** 

TDS **16000** mg/L 25 1 SM2540C 11/06/2013 16:37 TJA7067

Site: Filter Blk Sample #: 2013027044

Collection Date: 04-Nov-13 8:05 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte Result Units Qualifiers RDL DF Method Analysis Date/Time Analyst

DISSOLVED METALS BY ICP-MS

Selenium (Se) 1.01 ug/L 1 1 EPA 200.8 11/20/2013 13:19 DJSULL1

Site: TRIP BLANK Sample #: 2013027045

Collection Date: 24-Oct-13 11:30 AM Matrix: OTHER

Analyte	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RDL	DF	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Analyst		
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP										
Boron (B)	< 0.05	mg/L		0.05	1	EPA 200.7	11/13/2013 11:37	MHH7131		
TOTAL RECOVERABLE METALS BY ICP-MS										
Arsenic (As)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Cadmium (Cd)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Chromium (Cr)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Copper (Cu)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Nickel (Ni)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Selenium (Se)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Silver (Ag)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		
Zinc (Zn)	< 1	ug/L		1	1	EPA 200.8	11/18/2013 14:05	DJSULL1		



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November 20, 2013

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Project: Belews - FGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) (LIMS# J13110076)

Mr. Perkins,

Attached is the report associated with four (4) aqueous samples submitted for total mercury and selenium speciation analysis on November 6, 2013. The samples were received in a sealed cooler at -0.1°C on November 7, 2013. Selenium speciation analysis was performed via ion chromatography inductively coupled plasma collision reaction cell mass spectrometry (IC-ICP-CRC-MS). Mercury quantitation was performed via cold vapor inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (CV-ICP-MS). Any issues associated with the analysis are addressed in the following report.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Jeremy Maute Project Coordinator

Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC

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Report prepared for:

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Project: Belews - FGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) (LIMS# J13110076)

November 20, 2013

#### 1. Sample Reception

Four (4) aqueous samples were submitted for selenium speciation analysis on November 6, 2013. Three (3) additional samples were submitted for total mercury quantitation. All samples were received in acceptable condition on November 7, 2013 in a sealed container at -0.1°C.

All samples were received in a laminar flow clean hood, void of trace metals contamination and ultra-violet radiation, and were designated discrete sample identifiers. The 40mL borosilicate glass vials submitted for total mercury were preserved with bromine monochloride (BrCl) solution. The resulting samples were stored in a secure polyethylene container, known to be free from trace metals contamination, until the analyses could be performed.

An aliquot of each sample requiring selenium speciation evaluation was filtered (0.45µm) and each filtrate was stored in a secure, monitored cryofreezer (maintained at a temperature of -80°C) until selenium speciation analysis could be performed via ion chromatography inductively coupled plasma collision reaction cell mass spectrometry (IC-ICP-CRC-MS).

#### 2. Sample Preparation

All sample preparation is performed in laminar flow clean hoods known to be free from trace metals contamination. All applied water for dilutions and sample preservatives are monitored for contamination to account for any biases associated with the sample results.

<u>Total Mercury Quantitation by CV-ICP-MS</u> All samples and preparation blanks for total mercury quantitation were preserved with 2% (v/v) BrCl. The resulting samples were analyzed for mercury via cold vapor inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (CV-ICP-MS).

<u>Selenium Speciation Analysis by IC-ICP-CRC-MS</u> Prior to analysis, an aliquot of each sample was filtered with a syringe filter (0.45μm) and injected directly into a sealed autosampler vial. No further sample preparation was performed as any chemical alteration of a sample may shift the equilibrium of the system, resulting in changes in speciation ratios.

#### 3. Sample Analysis

All sample analysis is preceded by a minimum of a five-point calibration curve spanning the entire concentration range of interest. Calibration curves are performed at the beginning of each analytical day. All calibration curves, associated with each species of interest, are standardized by linear regression resulting in a response factor. All sample results are **instrument blank corrected** to account for any operational biases associated with the analytical platform.

Prior to sample analysis, all calibration curves are verified using second source standards which are identified as initial calibration verification standards (ICV).

Ongoing instrument performance is identified by the analysis of continuing calibration verification standards (CCV) and continuing calibration blanks (CCB) at a minimum interval of every ten analytical runs.

<u>Total Mercury Quantitation by CV-ICP-MS</u> The sample fractions for total mercury quantitation were analyzed by cold vapor inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (CV-ICP-MS) on November 18, 2013. Aliquots of each sample are reacted with a reductant in-line and transported to a gas-liquid separator. The volatile elemental mercury that is formed is then swept by a stream of argon gas into a radio frequency (RF) plasma where energy-transfer processes cause desolvation, atomization, and ionization. The ions are extracted from the plasma through a differentially-pumped vacuum interface and separated on the basis of their mass-to-charge ratio (m/z) by a mass spectrometer. A solid-state detector detects ions transmitted through the mass analyzer and the resulting current is processed by a data handling system.

<u>Selenium Speciation Analysis by IC-ICP-CRC-MS</u> Each sample for selenium speciation analysis was analyzed by ion chromatography inductively coupled plasma collision reaction cell mass spectrometry (IC-ICP-CRC-MS) on November 15, 2013. An aliquot of each sample is injected onto an anion exchange column and mobilized by a basic (pH > 7) gradient. The eluting selenium species are then introduced into a radio frequency (RF) plasma where energy-transfer processes cause desolvation, atomization, and ionization. The ions are extracted from the plasma through a differentially-pumped vacuum interface and travel through a pressurized chamber (CRC) containing a reaction gas which preferentially reacts with interfering ions of the same target mass to charge ratios (m/z). A solid-state detector detects ions transmitted through the mass analyzer and the resulting current is processed by a data handling system.

Retention times for each eluting species are compared to known standards for species identification.

#### 4. Analytical Issues

The overall analyses went well and no significant analytical issues were encountered. All quality control parameters associated with these samples were within acceptance limits.

The estimated method detection limits (eMDLs) for selenite, selenate, and selenocyanate are generated from replicate analyses of the lowest standard in the calibration curve. Not all selenium species are present in preparation blanks; therefore, eMDL calculations based on preparation blanks are artificially biased low.

The eMDL for methylseleninic acid and selenomethionine is calculated from the average eMDL of selenite, selenate, and selenocyanate. The calibration does not contain methylseleninic acid or selenomethionine due to impurities in these standards which would bias the results for other selenium species.

The eMDL for mercury has been calculated using the standard deviation of the preparation blanks preserved and analyzed concurrently with the submitted samples.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this report, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jeremy Maute

**Project Coordinator** 

Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC

## Total Mercury & Selenium Speciation Results for Duke Energy Project Name: Belews - FGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) Contact: Jay Perkins LIMS #J13110076

Date: November 20, 2013 Report Generated by: Jeremy Maute Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC

#### Sample Results

							Unknown Se
Sample ID	Total Hg	Se(IV)	Se(VI)	SeCN	MeSe(IV)	SeMe	Species (n)
FGD Purge Eff	NR	105	39.2	ND (< 2.1)	3.6	ND (< 1.7)	0 (0)
BioReactor 1 Inf	0.0159	19.2	35.8	ND (< 0.53)	1.14	ND (< 0.43)	2.18 (1)
BioReactor 2 Inf	0.101	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
BioReactor 2 Eff	0.193	ND (< 0.47)	ND (< 0.30)	ND (< 0.53)	ND (< 0.43)	ND (< 0.43)	0 (0)

All results reflect the applied dilution and are reported in µg/L

NR = Analysis not requested

ND = Not detected at the applied dilution

SeCN = Selenocyanate

MeSe(IV) = Methylseleninic acid

SeMe = Selenomethionine

Unknown Se Species = Total concentration of all unknown Se species observed by IC-ICP-MS

n = number of unknown Se species observed

# Total Mercury & Selenium Speciation Results for Duke Energy Project Name: Belews - FGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) Contact: Jay Perkins LIMS #J13110076

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### **Quality Control Summary - Preparation Blank Summary**

Analyte (µg/L)	PBW1	PBW2	PBW3	PBW4	Mean	StdDev	eMDL*	eMDL 5x	eMDL 250x	eMDL 1000x
Hg	-0.0003	-0.0002	-0.0007	-0.0004	-0.0004	0.0002	0.0001	0.0006	-	-
Se(IV)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	-	0.47	1.9
Se(VI)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	-	0.30	1.2
SeCN	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	-	0.53	2.1
MeSe(IV)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	-	0.43	1.7
SeMe	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	-	0.43	1.7

eMDL = Estimated Method Detection Limit

#### **Quality Control Summary - Certified Reference Materials**

Analyte (µg/L)	CRM	True Value	Result	Recovery
Hg	NIST 1641d	1568	1626	103.7
Se(IV)	LCS	9.57	9.28	96.9
Se(VI)	LCS	9.48	9.22	97.3
SeCN	LCS	8.92	8.55	95.9
MeSe(IV)	LCS	6.47	6.23	96.3
SeMe	LCS	9.32	8.84	94.8

<sup>\*</sup>Please see narrative regarding eMDL calculations

## Total Mercury & Selenium Speciation Results for Duke Energy Project Name: Belews - FGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) Contact: Jay Perkins LIMS #J13110076

Date: November 20, 2013 Report Generated by: Jeremy Maute Applied Speciation and Consulting, LLC

#### **Quality Control Summary - Matrix Duplicates**

Analyte (µg/L)	Sample ID	Rep 1	Rep 2	Mean	RPD
Hg	BioReactor 2 Eff	0.1934	0.1955	0.1945	1.1
Se(IV)	BioReactor 2 Eff	ND (< 0.47)	ND (< 0.47)	NC	NC
Se(VI)	BioReactor 2 Eff	ND (< 0.30)	ND (< 0.30)	NC	NC
SeCN	BioReactor 2 Eff	ND (< 0.53)	ND (< 0.53)	NC	NC
MeSe(IV)	BioReactor 2 Eff	ND (< 0.43)	ND (< 0.43)	NC	NC
SeMe	BioReactor 2 Eff	ND (< 0.43)	ND (< 0.43)	NC	NC

ND = Not detected at the applied dilution

NC = Value was not calculated due to one or more concentrations below the eMDL

#### **Quality Control Summary - Matrix Spike/ Matrix Spike Duplicate**

Analyte (µg/L)	Sample ID	Spike Conc	MS Result	Recovery	Spike Conc	MSD Result	Recovery	RPD
Hg	BioReactor 2 Eff	2.000	2.347	107.6	2.000	2.320	106.3	1.2
Se(IV)	BioReactor 2 Eff	1390	1312	94.4	1390	1315	94.6	0.2
Se(VI)	BioReactor 2 Eff	1261	1178	93.4	1261	1187	94.1	0.7
SeCN	BioReactor 2 Eff	1144	1054	92.2	1144	1060	92.6	0.5

#### Return Kit to Travis Thorton @ Belews \*7 Days — A8 Hr — 48 Hr — 49 Will Apply 9 <sup>22</sup>Requested Turnaround COPY to CLIENT ORIGINAL to LAB, DISTRIBUTION 19Page 1 of 2 bottle back into both baggies) Filtering of the Se is performed in the field please provide a filter blank too. (Important to place filled Se, speciation - vendor to "7 Days 21 Days \*Other Ground NPDES Drinking Water Hg 200.8 (V\_AS&C) UST Please indicate desired turns: 2,4 SAMPLE PROGRAM Water NO3-NOS RCRA Waste THATAOHMI Jamorano 3,4 filtered Se (IMS), CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD AND ANALYSIS REQUEST FORM 3,4 \*\* \*\* \*\* f. 345 gH + \*slst9M ~ Samples Originating From Br (Dionex) Analytical Laboratory Use Only Date/Time Date/Time LDS Date/Time Cooler Temp (C) 2=H2SO4 3=HNO3 Grab Preserv.:1=HCL Required 5=None sasylsnA<sup>31</sup> X .dmo271 appropriate non-shaded areas. Customer to complete all Signature PO #650910 080 0805 225 10) Seal/Lock Opened By. Time 024 13 1130 12|Seal/Lock Opened By 8)Accepted By: 2) Accepted B Date As, Cd, Cr, Cu, Ni, Se, Ag, Zn by TRM/IMS 7 Use Project: WWTS FGD-Routine 2013 13 Sample Description or ID Duke Energy Analytical Laboratory Mail Code: Mail Code MGO3A2 (Building 7405) 13339 Hagers Ferry Rd 10)Reso. Center: BioReactor 2 Inf Eff BioReactor 1 Inf Huntersville, N. C. 28078 (704) 875-5245 FGD Purge Eff Metals Trip Blk EQ Tank Eff. 2)Phone No Fax: (704) 875-4349 BioReactor 2 Filter Blk Date/Time Date/Time Date/Time BMCEFGD WWTS (Bi-Monthly & Flex Fuel & DSI) Bill Kennedy, Melonie Martin, Wayne Chapman Belews - FGD 9)Res. Type 6)Process: Se Speciation Bottle B by TRM/ICP DUKE ENERGY, 0 BC00 2013027039 372040 Relinquished By (t)Seal/Locked By 2642 Sealf ocked By LAB USE ONLY 5)Business Unit X0X 342 204 Jest Project Name "Lab ID 8)Oper. Unit: Comments 2) Client: 275 12/2 201 10% 1/2/ D

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